

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:	Antonio Asaro et al.	Examiner:	Paul R. Myers
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Title: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR A DATA BRIDGE IN A COMPUTER SYSTEM**

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed January 31, 2006, Applicants submit a Request for Continued Examination with the following preliminary amendment and petition for a two month extension of time:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.